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TRANSOCEAN INC Form 8-K March 18, 2008

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d)

of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (date of earliest event reported): March 13, 2008 TRANSOCEAN INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Cayman Islands333-7589966-0582307(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)(Commission (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

4 Greenway Plaza

Houston, Texas 77046 77046 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

70 Harbor Drive

Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands

KY1-1003

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (713) 232-7500

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

ITEM 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

The information in Item 2.03 is incorporated herein by reference.

ITEM 2.03 Creation of a Direct Financial Obligation or an Obligation under an Off-Balance Sheet Arrangement of a Registrant.

On March 13, 2008, Transocean Inc. entered into and borrowed \$1.925 billion under a term credit facility with Citibank, N.A., as administrative agent, Calyon New York Branch and JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as co-syndication agents, The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd. and Fortis Bank SA/NV, New York Branch, as co-documentation agents, and Citigroup Global Markets, Inc., Calyon New York Branch and J.P. Morgan Securities Inc., as joint lead arrangers and bookrunners. The credit facility terminates on March 13, 2010.

Borrowings may be made under the facility (1) at the base rate, determined as the greater of (A) the fluctuating commercial loan rate announced by Citibank, N.A. in New York and (B) the sum of the weighted average overnight federal funds rate published by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York plus 50 basis points, and (2) at the London interbank offered rate plus 45 basis points, based on current credit ratings. The facility may be prepaid in whole or in part without premium or penalty. The facility contains certain covenants, including a leverage ratio covenant that applies through September 30, 2009 and a debt to total tangible capitalization covenant that applies thereafter. Borrowings under the facility are subject to acceleration upon the occurrence of events of default.

The term credit agreement is filed as Exhibit 4.1 to this report and is incorporated herein by reference. The foregoing summary does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the term credit agreement.

ITEM 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number Description

4.1 Term Credit Agreement dated as of March 13, 2008 among Transocean Inc., the lenders parties thereto and Citibank, N.A., as Administrative Agent, Calyon New York Branch and JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as Co-Syndication Agents, The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd. and Fortis Bank SA/NV, New York Branch, as Co-Documentation Agents, and Citigroup

Global Markets, Inc., Calyon New York Branch and J.P. Morgan Securities Inc., as Joint Lead Arrangers and Bookrunners.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

TRANSOCEAN INC.

Date: March 18, 2008 By: /s/ Chipman Earle

Chipman Earle

Associate General Counsel and

Corporate Secretary

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